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NOTICE OF MEETING

In accordance with the provisions of M.G.L. c. 30A § 20, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the **Board of Building Regulations and Standards** will be held on:

April 12, 2016 @ 1:00 p.m. 50 Maple Street Milford, MA 01757-3698

It is anticipated that the topics shown below will be discussed at the aforementioned meeting.

AGENDA

Board of Building Regulations and Standards (BBRS) Meeting

Posted on: April 8, 2016 at 10:30 AM

Roll Call, by BBRS Chair.

Richard Crowley Chair (RC) Thomas Perry, Vice Chair (TP) Felix Zemel (FZ) John Couture (JC) Kevin Gallagher (KG) Cheryl Lavalley	present absent absent absent	Kerry Dietz (KD) Peter Ostroskey (PO) Michael McDowell (MM) Monica Simmons (MS) Christopher Pennie (CP)	present absen present absen present absen present absen present absen present absen	
1. Review and approval of March 8, 2016 draft meeting minutes.				

- 2. Status update or review and/or approval of action items from previous meetings:
 - a. 9th Edition training update
 - b. EO562 and 9th Edition Public Hearing
 - c. Legislative Update
- 3. **Designation** of Robert Anderson as the member from academia on the **Building Official** Certification Committee

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- 4. **Consider** approval of **107** new CSLs issued in the month of March, 2016 and:
 - a. Approval of reissuance of two (2) CSLs due to medical and/or military need
 - Steven T. Hapenny (CS-097042)
 - Patrick G. Courtney (CS-077667)
 - b. Approval of one (1) new CSL based on Average Passing Score
 - Raphael Magri
 - c. Request of Paul Daniele's and Atanas Pernikliev's qualifications to sit for the construction supervisor license exam.
 - d. Whether or not an associate's degree qualifies as one year towards the CSL qualifications. According to the **Candidates Bulletin of Information**, a bachelor's degree qualifies for 2 years (may require code change language)
 - e. Approval of CSL Exam Transition Committee Make-up.

BBRS/DPS Staff	DPS Staff/Inspectors	Municipal Inspectors
Felix Zemel	Steve Kennealy	Chris McWhite (Local Inspector, Lowell)
Rob Anderson	Marc LaPointe	Albert Talarico (Commissioner, Peabody)
Tom Riley	John Bennett	
	Thomas Hopkins	

- f. Policy requirements for on-line CSL training.
 - **110.R5.4.7** Course Approval. Approval will not be granted for time spent on meals or other unrelated activities. Breaks may not be accumulated in order to dismiss the class early.
- 5. **Review** and approval of actions contained in BOCC meeting minutes from April 6, 2016 (*to be presented to Board members during the meeting*).
- 6. **Discuss and vote** changes to proposed 780 CMR 9th Edition Base Code Chapters 2, 9, and 34; and Residential Code Chapter 3.
- 7. **Discuss** MGL c. 143 §3 requirements that state "The inspector of buildings or building commissioner shall report directly and be solely responsible to the person or public body that appointed him."
- 8. **Discuss** BBRS Official Interpretation 2015_01 re: insulation.
- 9. **Discuss** recent article re: Fire Protection of Floors
- 10. **Discuss** other matters not reasonably anticipated 2 business days in advance of meeting.
- 11. **Approve** adjourning the meeting.